*First Schedule, Table A, Regulation 77.*

Mr. Sesha Aiyar said that Clause (*f*) of the above Regulation, which provided that the office of the director of a company should be vacated if such director was punished with imprisonment for a term exceeding six months, was rather arbitrary and inequitable, in as much as a director committing *theft* would not be liable to vacate his office if he was punished for such offence with imprisonment for a time of six months or less, while the same officer would be so liable if he was punished for *defamation* with imprisonment for a period exceeding six months. Mr. Sesha Aiyar therefore moved that the following be substituted for Clause (*f*) of the above Regulation 77:—

"(*f*) is convicted of an offence involving moral turpitude."

Seconded by Mr. Subba Aiyar.

Carried.

The consideration of the Bill being over, Mr. Subba Aiyar moved that the Bill, as amended by the Council, be read again on a future day of which notice should be given.

Seconded by Mr. Rangaswami Aiyangar.

Carried

## THE PATENTS AND DESIGNS BILL.

Mr. Subba Aiyar moved that, before the Patents and Designs Bill was finally read and passed, the words "or with foreign Princes or States", occurring at the end of sub-section (3) of Section 23, be deleted.

Seconded by Mr. Mahadeva Aiyar.

Carried.

Mr. Subba Aiyar further moved that the words "Chingom 1091" be added at the end of sub-section (3) of Section 1, as the date from which the proposed Regulation should come into force.

Seconded by Mr. Rangaswami Aiyengar.

Carried.

Mr. Subba Aiyar then moved that the Bill, as thus amended, be finally read and passed.

Seconded by Mr. Vieyra.

Carried.

## THE INSOLVENCY BILL.

In proposing that the Insolvency Bill be finally read by the Council, Mr. Subba Aiyar moved that the words "Chingom 1091" be added at the end of sub-section (3) of Section 1, to provide for the time from which the proposed law should take effect.

Seconded by Mr. Vieyra.

Carried.

Mr. Subba Aiyar then moved that the Bill be finally read and passed.

Seconded by Mr. Parameswara Menon.

Carried.

## THE SUCCESSION CERTIFICATE BILL.

Mr. Subba Aiyar moved that the words "Chingom 1091" be added at the end of sub-section (2) of Section 1 of the Succession Certificate Bill, and that the Bill be thus finally read and passed.

Seconded by Mr. Velu Pillai..

Carried.

## THE IRRIGATION REGULATION AMENDMENT BILL.

Mr. Subba Aiyar moved that the Irrigation Regulation Amendment Bill be finally read and passed.

Seconded by Mr. Kuriyan.

Carried.

## THE CATTLE TRESPASS REGULATION AMENDMENT BILL.

Mr. Subba Aiyar then moved that the Cattle Trespass Regulation Amendment Bill be finally read and passed.

Seconded by Mr. Raman Pillai.

Carried.

The Council adjourned at 4-45 P. M.

M. KRISHNAN NAIR,
*President.*

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